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Exhaust Emissions Controls for Diesel Locomotives – Experience in Europe

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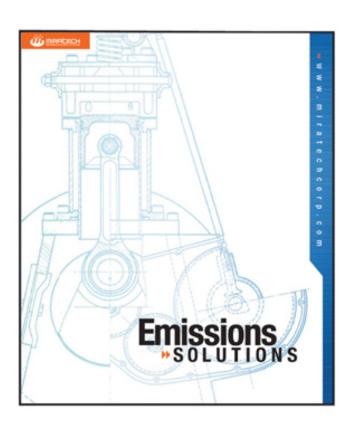






Overview

- MIRATECH Background
- Diesel Emissions Control Technology Background
- MobiClean[™] Diesel Particulate Filter
- Locomotive Applications in Europe





Who is MIRATECH?

- Privately held company located in Tulsa, Oklahoma
- Design, sell, and service emissions control equipment for industrial reciprocating engines
 - Both diesel and natural gas engines
 - Reliability and durability very important
- North American sales coverage
 - Regional sales managers and network of distributors and representatives
- Access to state of the art technology through partnerships
 - HUG Engineering: SCR and Soot Filters
 - EcoCat: Three-Way and Diesel Oxidation Catalyst



Diesel Emissions Reduction Technology

Diesel Oxidation Catalyst (DOC)

- + 20 to 40% PM Reduction
- + 90% CO and VOC Reduction
- Oxidizes Some NO to NO₂
- Can Form Sulfates from Sulfur in Fuel
- > 400 F

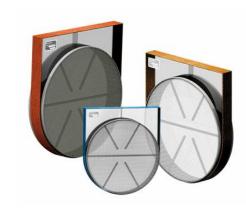
Selective Catalytic Reduction (SCR)

- + 90% NOx Reduction (Steady Load)
- + 10 to 30% PM Reduction
- Requires Urea or Ammonia Storage and Injection System
- 600 900 F

Diesel Particulate Filters (DPF)

- + 90% PM Reduction
- Requires Active Regeneration System for Low Temperature Applications
- Increased Backpressure
- > 700 850 F

Metal Foil Elements

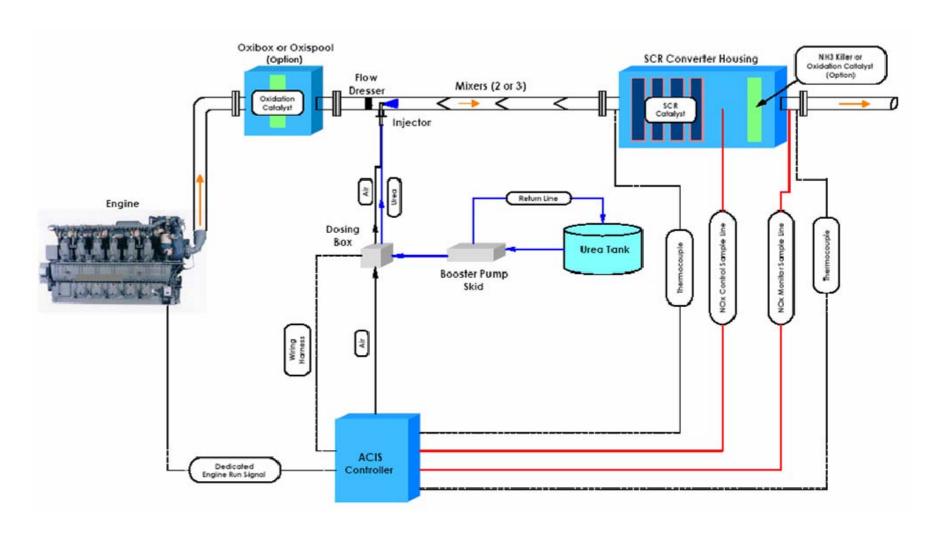


Extruded SCR and Filter Blocks





Stationary Engine SCR System

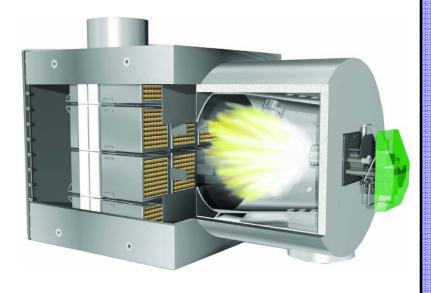




MobiCleanTM Particulate Filter

Exhaust Soot Filter System for Mobile Diesel Applications

Regeneration without Increasing NO₂!



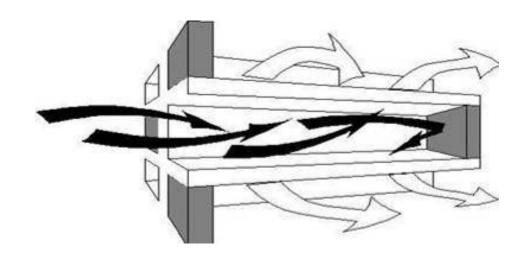
- Modular System Various Engine Sizes
- Silicon Carbide Filter Elements
- Active Regeneration Burner for Low Exhaust Temperatures
- Excellent Sound Absorption (Replaces Silencer)
- Compact Design for Tight Spaces
- Rugged Design for Demanding Applications:
 - Locomotives
 - Railway Construction Machines
 - Mobile Power Plants
 - Ferries and Yaughts
 - Mining Equipment



MobiCleanTM Filters

Silicon Carbide Filters

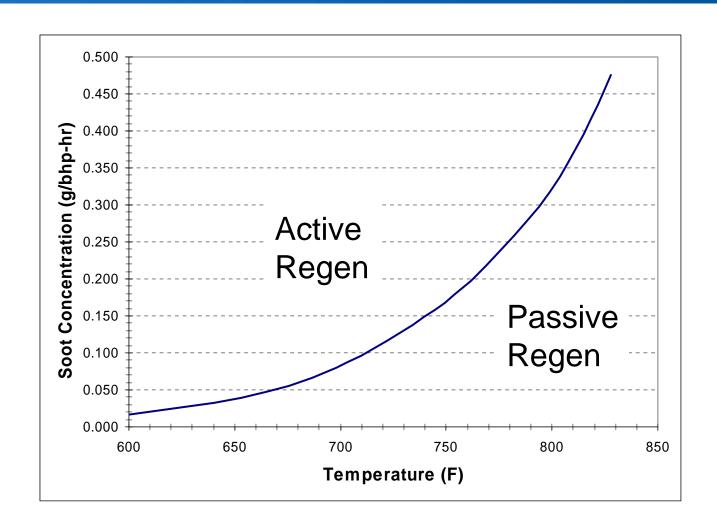
- Particulate is trapped on the surface of a catalyzed, high temperature, wall flow, porous Silicon Carbide filter
- Silicon Carbide provides superior thermal durability over metal fiber and cordierite filters
- Sulfur Tolerant Catalyst Applied to Reduce Regeneration Temperature
- ▶ Level 3 CARB Verification for Stationary Diesel Generators





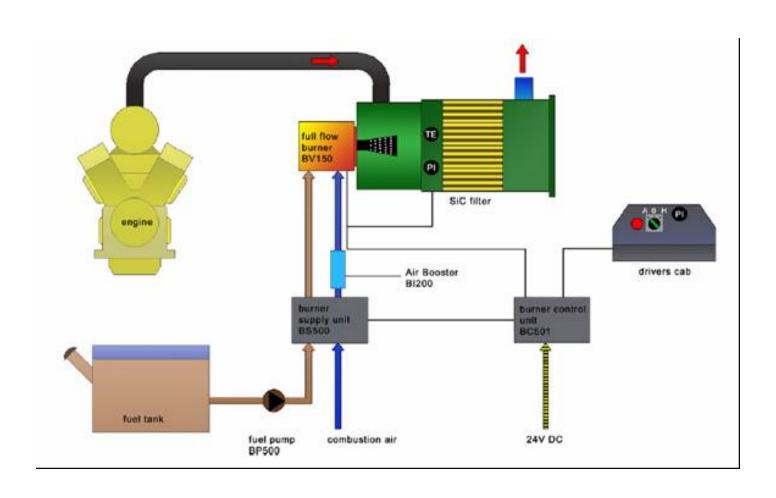


Soot Burning vs. Temp





MobiClean System Layout





MobiCleanTM Features

- Individually Encased Filters that Bolt in Place
- Filters Can Be Removed for Cleaning/Replacement
- Lifting Handle for Carrying Filters
- Side or Top Access, Depending on Design
- Burner System Mounts on Front or Side
- Rugged PLC Controller for Burner System Mounted Remotely from the Filter Housing







MobiCleanTM Locomotive Experience

- First Installed on Railway Maintenance Vehicles in Switzerland in 1997
- Applied on ~76 New SBB Am843 Locomotives (S26)
- Applied on Several Hundred Railway Maintenance Vehicles
 - Both Retrofit and New Applications
- Custom Designs to Fit Space Requirements
- Filters Can be Mounted Vertically or Horizontally





▶ SBB: Am843 - 2000 HP Switcher



Vossloh 3500 HP Locomotive

- MTU 20V4000, High Speed, 4-Stroke Engine
- MobiClean S56 with Dual-Burner System
- Installed on One Demonstration Locomotive





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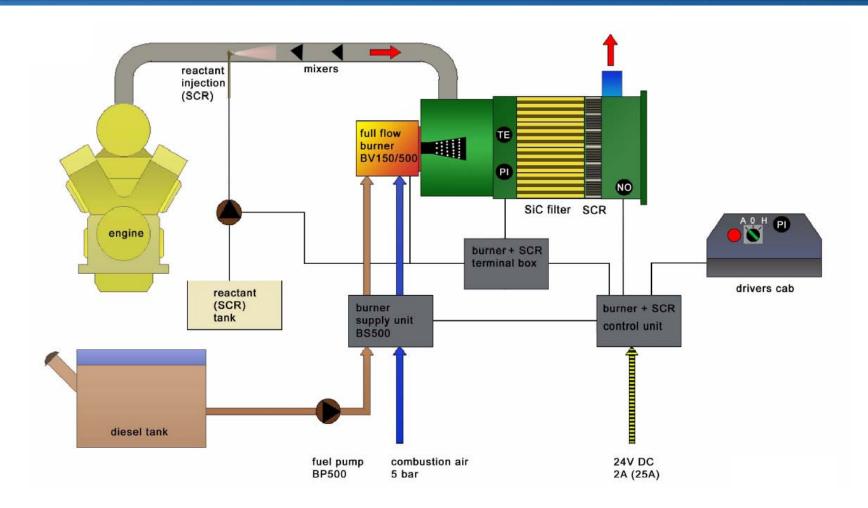


MobiCleanTM S4





Combined SCR/DPF System



Currently Being Tested on a Railway Maintenance Vehicle



SNCF Train Station Paris



Stationary Locomotive Exhaust Clean Up System

4 Units, All with Same Stack Configuration SCR and PM Filter Supplied by HUG Engineering



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